

MAY 02 2005

NANCY R. SIMON
ATTORNEY AT LAW

19925 Stevens Creek Boulevard, Cupertino, CA 95014-2358
Telephone (408) 973-7872, Facsimile (408) 973-7282**FACSIMILE COVER SHEET**

To: United States Patent and Trademark Office
Attn: Examiner James Stein in Art Unit 2874

Fax Number: (703) 872-9306

From: Nancy R. Simon
Phone Number: (408) 973-7872
Fax Number: (408) 973-7282

Date: May 2, 2005

Total pages: 12 (includes cover sheet)

THIS MESSAGE IS INTENDED ONLY FOR THE USE OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR ENTITY TO WHICH IT IS ADDRESSED, AND MAY CONTAIN INFORMATION THAT IS PRIVILEGED, CONFIDENTIAL AND EXEMPT FROM DISCLOSURE UNDER APPLICABLE LAW. IF THE READER OF THIS MESSAGE IS NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, OR THE EMPLOYEE OR AGENT RESPONSIBLE FOR DELIVERING THE MESSAGE TO THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ANY DISSEMINATION, DISTRIBUTION OR COPYING OF THIS COMMUNICATION IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION IN ERROR, PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY BY TELEPHONE, AND RETURN THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE TO US AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS VIA THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE. THANK YOU.

Message: Re: U.S. Patent Application 10/638,174

Submitted in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment (10 pages) and a Transmittal Form (1 page). If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Nancy R. Simon

AGILENT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.
Legal Department, DL429
Intellectual Property Administration
P. O. Box 7599
Loveland, Colorado 80537-0599

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 10004207-1

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

MAY 02 2005

Inventor(s): Dale W. Schroeder

Serial No.: 10/638,174

Examiner: James D. Stein

Filing Date: August 7, 2003

Group Art Unit: 2874

Title: Microelectromechanical Optical Switch Using Bendable Fibers To Direct Light Signals

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

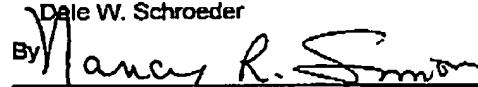
Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

Response/Amendment Petition to extend time to respond
 New fee as calculated below Supplemental Declaration
 No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Amendments")
 Other: (Fee \$ _____)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	15	MINUS	20	= 0	X 50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X 200	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+ 360
EXTENSION FEE	1 ST MONTH 120.00	2 ND MONTH 450.00	3 RD MONTH 1020.00	4 TH MONTH 1590.00		\$ 0
				OTHER FEES		\$ 0
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 50-1078. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 50-1078 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.2.5. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 50-1078 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By 

Nancy R. Simon
Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s)

I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile
transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on
the date shown below:

Date of facsimile: May 2, 2005

Typed Name: Nancy R. Simon

Signature: 

Reg. No. 36,930

Date: May 2, 2005

Telephone No. (408) 973-7872

MAY 02 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:)
DALE W. SCHROEDER) Atty Docket: 10004207-1
Serial No.: 10/638,174) Examiner: JAMES D. STEIN
Filed: AUGUST 7, 2003) Group Art Unit: 2874
For: MICROELECTROMECHANICAL)
OPTICAL SWITCH USING)
BENDABLE FIBERS TO DIRECT)
LIGHT SIGNALS)

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed January 31, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

37 C.F.R. 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, fax number (703) 872-9306, on May 2, 2005.



Nancy R. Simon